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In re Application of:	James L. McMenimen	Group Art Unit:	3627
Application No.:	09/775,281	Examiner:	L. Jasmin
Filing Date:	February 1, 2001		
For:	RESPONSIVE MANUFACTURING AND INVENTORY CONTROL		

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 23, 2004, and the Interview Summary Office Action mailed November 26, 2004, please consider the following remarks and amendments.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 29, 2004. Please find enclosed the following documents to complete the filing requirements for the above-identified application:


1. Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment;
2. Copy of Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment
3. Response to Final Office Action
4. Transmittal

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Respectfully submitted,

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